

# JAMAICA PLAIN FRIENDLY SOCIETY

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Annual Report, 1910-1911.

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The Jamaica Plain Friendly Society represents the entire community. Subscriptions in its behalf are collected by its authorized solicitors, beginning in November. A prompt and generous response to their calls is earnestly hoped for, as the Society is dependent upon these annual subscriptions.

Contributions may also be sent at any time to the Treasurer, Mr. E. W. Clark, 672 Centre Street.

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I give and bequeath to the Jamaica Plain Friendly Society of Boston the sum of..... dollars.



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1911-1912

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Miss Cornelia Le Roy.  
Office hours—Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, 11-12.30.  
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## REPORT OF THE JAMAICA PLAIN FRIENDLY SOCIETY FOR 1910-1911.

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The workers of the Friendly Society at their weekly meetings during the past year have, as usual, reported many cases of sickness and need which have required investigation and care, and, some of them, much aid of different kinds. The widows and elderly people, deserted women and the sick are always with us, claiming our sympathy and care, and with many of these are bound up the lives of children and young people, whom we can help by our friendly interest and advice.

Some of the cases of the year, especially those of the deserted women, have brought us in touch and co-operation with many other Societies, Hospitals, and Homes, also with the local churches. All applicants having any church connection, whether Catholic or Protestant, are reported to those churches, and their ministers and missionaries are always ready to work with us, and to do their part in aiding where aid is needed.

The nurse from the City Hospital for Consumptives has attended most of the weekly meetings of the Case Committee, and we have aided a number of patients in her care.

The names of all new applicants are reported to the Registration Office of the Associated Charities, they in turn reporting to us all cases belonging in this district, so that there may be no mistakes, and no overlapping in relief-giving. We believe that it is very important for all churches and organizations and private

individuals as well, having to do with those who ask aid of any sort, to report such persons to this confidential Registration Bureau, at the Associated Charities Building on Hawkins Street, Boston, where prompt information may be obtained if these names have ever appeared before.

This system has been wonderfully worked out, and it is becoming more and more valuable as more organizations make use of it. We are glad that our Society has been able to come into closer touch with it this past year.

The visitors have very much appreciated the generosity of benevolent individuals who have helped in special cases where money was required.

A young woman, hopelessly ill with tuberculosis, after a stay of several months at Rutland, was aided by the Society for a time. In the spring she wished to go to her relatives in Ireland, who would care for her while she lived. By request of a member of the Case Committee, the agent of the Cunard line arranged for her passage at reduced rates. Members of St. John's church raised money for the voyage, clothing and other comforts were supplied from the Society and friends, and the invalid was sent on her way, cheerful and happy, in spite of her sad condition.

This summer money was contributed by several friends to send a family to Nova Scotia. The man had had a long illness with pneumonia, a young daughter who had been working broke down at the same time, and the woman was worn out with her anxieties and her efforts to go out to work and help in supporting her family of five. For several months the Society helped with food and fuel. Towards the summer, finding that there

were relatives in Nova Scotia living on a farm, it was decided that it might be a wise expenditure of money to break up the home, carried on with so much anxiety here, and to send the family to the country, where the man was promised opportunity for out-of-door work, which he needed. The letters which have been received so far, give an encouraging account of greatly improved health.

A pathetic case which came in the summer, where the father and son were both seriously ill, was aided in various ways, through the visitor and Dr. Shearman, and also by gifts of money for special needs from several friends. Two delicate young girls were benefited and made very happy by having the means provided for vacations in the country.

Sewing for the Massachusetts Infant Asylum and the Children's Hospital, which furnish prepared work, has enabled twenty-four of our women to earn a dollar a week for the winter months, and this has been a great help to those who are unable to earn in other ways.

At the May meeting of the Directors, the resignation of Miss Emma Smith, who has taken charge of this sewing, and who has faithfully served the Society as Agent for twelve years, was read and accepted. At a special meeting later in the month it was voted to elect Miss Cornelia Le Roy, a graduate of the School for Social Workers, as our Agent for the coming year, with one month's vacation. Our work now demands the care of a trained Agent for the whole year, as some of our most urgent cases are apt to come in the summer, a vacation time for most of our visitors. This is an added expense, but one which is now very necessary, and we appeal to our friends most ear-

nestly to give to the Society as generously as they are able, when they are called upon for subscriptions this autumn. Each spring the monthly report of the Treasurer is listened to with anxiety, and there is always the fear that there may not be money enough for the summer needs which are sure to come.

This year we were very near the danger line, and we were barely saved the necessity of asking for special contributions by an acceptable gift in May of forty dollars from the Jamaica Plain Tuesday Club.

We cannot close our report this year without speaking of the recent death of Dr. George Faulkner, who was one of the organizers of the Society thirty-seven years ago, and who to the end of his long life never failed in his interest in its work. For many years he was a regular attendant at our meetings, and he was always ready to counsel, always in sympathy with all new and progressive methods which might be suggested. During the fifteen years of his daughter's devoted service to the work, he was in special touch with the individual cases in her care, and often made loans to tide people over hard places. This good friend will be sadly missed by those who have felt his keen interest in all that concerned our poor people. Can we do anything better to perpetuate his memory than to keep our work up to the highest standards, and to make it more and more helpful to the community as the years go on?

We must also mention with great regret the death of Dr. E. Peabody Gerry, who was at one time Secretary of the Society, and who, through his connection with the Jamaica Plain Dispensary, has taken special interest in helping cases of tuberculosis which had come into our care in the last few years.

A more recent friend and helper whom we have lost by death this summer was Mr. Herbert E. Smith, who had been most kind as an associate visitor, and who was always interested in trying to get employment for those who needed it.

There is great need of more such helpers, and we hope that in all the churches of this district there may be men and women who are ready to fill the places of those whom we have lost. The Directors and Case Committee will always be glad to hear from those who are willing and able to help in any way.

Our thanks are due to the children of Miss Seeger's School who kindly remembered our poor families at Thanksgiving and Christmas, to the Tuesday Club for its gift of forty dollars, to the Fraternity of Churches for its Thanksgiving collection, to Mr. Vogel for a box of boots and shoes, and to other friends for packages of useful clothing and various remembrances. We also wish to express our appreciation to the dealers in dry goods, coal, provisions, groceries and milk, who have kindly given us a generous discount on all their charges.

May we not hope, as we enter on the work of a new year, that this Society which was organized thirty-seven years ago by men and women of all the churches, will continue to have the confidence and support of all who are interested in the improvement and uplift of this community in which we live?

ELLEN C. MORSE,

*For Case Committee.*

## NOTE

The Friendly Society is now (November 1, 1911) occupying Rooms 8 and 9, Masonic Building, 670 Centre Street, but the Directors hope for a room in the Municipal Building before many weeks. The public will be notified of the change in the Jamaica Plain News.

The Agent's office hours are from 11-12.30 on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, from 11-12 on Saturdays.

Besides these hours at the office, Miss Le Roy spends many hours during the week in field work.

The Case Committee meets with Miss Le Roy on Thursday mornings.

Visitors' and Directors' meetings are held on the first Monday each month from October to May at 3 P. M.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

OCTOBER, 1910, TO OCTOBER, 1911

## RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year.....	\$ 203.85
Received from contributions.....	1130.65
" for interest.....	355.25
" from Jamaica Plain Tuesday Club.....	40.00
" from Thanksgiving Service.....	15.82
" from Central Cong. Church.....	6.00
" from sales.....	4.10
" balance of Boyd Fund..	3.25
" cash from loan (returned).....	1.91
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	\$1760.83

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid Agent's salary.....	\$ 300.00
" to Case Committee (mainly for sewing) .....	388.90
" for provisions and milk.....	259.83
" for coal and wood.....	145.31
" for rent.....	110.50
" for materials.....	89.53
" for boots and shoes.....	71.09
" for printing.....	36.60
" for postage.....	8.62
" for furniture moving and expressage.....	22.00
" for board at Swedish Home.....	4.50
" for carriage hire.....	2.00
" for car fares.....	1.00
" women for cleaning .....	8.75
" interest.....	1.00
" for moving <del>Mother</del> family.....	10.00
" for gas.....	2.00
Cash on hand.....	299.20
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	\$1760.83

Respectfully submitted,  
E. W. CLARK, *Treasurer.*

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

October 15, 1911.

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of E. W. Clark, Treasurer of the Jamaica Plain Friendly Society, from October, 1910, to October, 1911. Every item seems to be correct, and properly vouched for, and he charges himself with a balance of two hundred ninety-nine dollars and twenty cents.

THOMAS G. REES, *Auditor.*

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 Mrs. J. W. Towler  
 Mrs. B. B. Tremere  
 Mrs. Tripp  
 Dr. A. H. Tompkins  
 Mrs. Philip Tucker  
 Mrs. T. W. Tucker  
 Mrs. George Tulloch  
 Mrs. Thomas Turnbull  
 Dr. L. F. Vickery  
 Mr. C. S. Waldo  
 Mrs. L. Wallace  
 Mr. M. T. Wallace  
 Miss H. S. Wallis  
 Mrs. F. F. Ward  
 Mrs. J. L. Webster  
 Mrs. F. C. Weeks  
 Mrs. A. D. Weld  
 Mrs. A. S. Weld  
 Miss H. D. W. Weld  
 Miss Mary Weld  
 Mrs. Frank R. Wendell  
 Mr. D. S. West  
 Mrs. J. D. Wester  
 Mrs. E. F. Wetherell

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\*Deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wheelwright	Mrs. J. S. Williams
Mrs. G. W. Wheelwright, Jr.	Mrs. C. E. Wing
Mrs. H. C. Wheeler	Mrs. Artemus Winchester
Mrs. Whelpley	Mrs. W. H. Winslow
Mrs. A. F. Whitcomb	Mrs. John Wood
Miss Amy White	Miss Woodman
Mrs. Eugene Williams	Mrs. L. Woodworth
Mrs. F. B. Williams	Miss Yeane
Mrs. Jessie L. Williams	Miss Ziersch

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NOTE.

There have been some unavoidable omissions of names on this list, owing to the loss of one of the Soliciting Books. The money, however, has all been received by the Treasurer, and is thankfully acknowledged.





# *The Jamaica Plain Friendly Society*

ROOM 9, MASONIC BUILDING, 670 CENTRE STREET

ORGANIZED IN 1873

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*Agent, Miss Cornelia Le Roy.*

## OFFICE HOURS

*Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 11-12.30; Saturdays, 11-12.*

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This is an unsectarian Society for charitable work, its Directors being connected with various churches.

Its object is to investigate applications for aid in the Jamaica Plain district, to find employment for men and women, where it is possible, and to give relief in cases of distress and need.

Especially, its aim is to establish a friendly relation where friendliness and sympathy are needed by those in poverty and sickness.

There is always need of more volunteer visitors, and those willing to help in this way are asked to give their names to the agent.

The Society asks that all cases of begging may be reported to the agent, who will promptly investigate.

Contributions of money to carry on this work are earnestly solicited from all in this district, who are able and willing to give. Such contributions may be sent at any time to Mr. E. W. Clark, Treasurer, 672 Centre Street.

Partly worn clothing and boots and shoes, also, are always acceptable, and may be sent to the Society's room at Room 9, Masonic Building.

REV. S. U. SHEARMAN, President.

MR. E. W. CLARK, Treasurer.

MISS C. E. CHICKERING, Clerk.

MISS ELLEN C. MORSE,

Chairman of Case Committee.

